## **CLAIMS**

- (Thrice amended) A method of producing a <u>transgenic</u> plant which shows herblcide resistance, to a herbicide said method comprising:
  - (i) applying sald herbicide to a population of <u>progenitor</u> plants, <u>in</u> which <u>pollen evidences segregation for a herbicide resistant gene</u> [show segregating resistance to said herbicide in their pollen], such application being at an advanced vegetative state before flowering; wherein the applied herbicide effectively inhibits [the] pollen <u>which does not carrier the herbicide resistant gene</u> [lacking the herbicide resistance] <u>whereby the resultant pollen is preferentially carrying the herbicide resistant gene;</u> such that [during flowering such] <u>resultant pollen</u> from said plants fertilize the female plants [parts with said pollen];
  - (ii) obtaining herbicide resistance progeny therefrom as seeds and optionally as plants.
- 2. A method according to claim 1 wherein the herbicide resistant plants are glyphosate resistant, and the herbicide applied in stage (i) is glyphosate.
- 3. A method according to claim 1 wherein the plants comprise crop plants.
- 4. A method according to claim 3 wherein the crop plants comprise corn.
- 5. A method according to claim 4 wherein in step (i), the herbicide is applied at the V5 stage of growth or later.
- A method according to claim 1 wherein the progeny comprise herbicide resistant hybrid seed.

- 7. A method according claim 1 wherein the plants contain a further desired transgene.
- 8. A method according to claim 7 wherein the further transgene is a gene which encodes a quality trait which is deliverable by a pollinator.
- 9. A method according to claim 8 wherein the quality trait comprises a high oil system.
- 10. A method according to claim 7 wherein the transgene is a fertility/sterility controlling gene.
- 11. A method according according to claim 10 wherein said fertility/sterility controlling gene is a male sterility gene.

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- 21. A method according to claim 1 wherein said progeny comprise seed.
- 22. A method according to claim 1 wherein said progeny comprise inbred seed.
- 23. A method according to claim 2 wherein said progeny comprise glyphosate resistant hybrid seed.

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## **CLAIMS**

- 1. (Thrice amended) A method of producing a transgenic plant which shows herbicide resistance, to a herbicide said method comprising:
- (i) applying said herbicide to a population of progenitor plants, in which pollen evidences segregation for a herbicide resistant gene, such application being at an advanced vegetative state before flowering; wherein the applied herbicide effectively inhibits pollen which does not carrier the herbicide resistant gene whereby the resultant pollen is preferentially carrying the herbicide resistant gene; such that resultant pollen from said plants fertilize the female plants;
  - (ii) obtaining herbicide resistance progeny therefrom as seeds and optionally as plants.
  - 2. A method according to claim 1 wherein the herbicide resistant plants are glyphosate resistant, and the herbicide applied in stage (i) is glyphosate.
  - 3. A method according to claim 1 wherein the plants comprise crop plants.
  - 4. A method according to claim 3 wherein the crop plants comprise corn.
  - 5. A method according to claim 4 wherein in step (i), the herbicide is applied at the V5 stage of growth or later.
  - 6. A method according to claim 1 wherein the progeny comprise herbicide resistant hybrid seed.
  - 7. A method according claim 1 wherein the plants contain a further desired transgene.

- 8. A method according to claim 7 where in the further transgene is a gene which encodes a quality trait which is deliverable by a pollinator.
- A method according to claim 8 wherein the quality trait comprises a high oil system.
- 10. A method according to claim 7 wherein the transgene is a fertility/sterility controlling gene.
- 11. A method according according to claim 10 wherein said fertility/sterility controlling gene is a male sterility gene.
- 21. A method according to claim 1 wherein said progeny comprise seed.
- 22. A method according to claim 1 wherein said progeny comprise inbred seed.
- 23. A method according to claim 2 wherein said progeny comprise glyphosate resistant hybrid seed.